

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Attorney Docket No. 08-349-WO-US)

PATENT

In re Application of:	Holtet et al.)		
Serial No.:	10/533,290)	Before the Examiner:	P. M. Mertz
Filed:	February 7, 2006)	Group Art Unit:	1646
For:	Trimeric Binding Proteins for Trimeric Cytokines)	Confirmation No.:	6045

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Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED JULY 24, 2009

Responsive to the Office Action mailed July 24, 2009, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims: Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121, Applicants present a complete listing of the claims, including marked up versions of all currently amended claims, at pages 2-3.

Remarks: Applicants' Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.